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SUBJECT

Contingent charges in connection with the Supreme Local Examinations of 1896

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To

The Comptroller &c
Govt of Mysore

No 9029 Ex. Mle
Ed 251

date 5/2/96

To be returned

In forwarding an original the accompanying Letter No 4612/199 dt 29th January 1896 from the Insp Genl of Govt Reporting with reference to Govt Pro No 5692-3 dt 28th January 1896 reporting Ed 236 on the Contingent charges in connection with the Mysore Local Examinations, the Undersigned has the honor to request the Comptroller to favour the Govt with his opinion on the Subject at his early convenience

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From The Comptroller

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore,

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Dated 1st April 1897

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General No 6182
No

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Enclosure No 1

Forwarding a copy of letter No. 6181 d/1 April 1897 addressed to the D.P.I. of Edn. with D. Genl No. 4512/199 d/29 Jan/97

Refer further

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No 6181 / Gen 2

OFFICE OF THE COMPTROLLER OF MYSORE

Bangalore 1st April 1897

From

E R SUBRAYER Esq

Comptroller of Mysore

To The Inspector General of Education in Mysore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 6904 dated 26th February 1897, 429 I have the honor to state that Government do not allot annually a lump sum on account of the Contingent Charges of the Local examinations, nor is there any order in which you were empowered to incur expenditure within that amount

A certain sum is provided in the Budget Estimates every year for that purpose, and passed

passed by Government,
but that fact is no authority
for payments being made out
of it. The charge in question
is therefore not of the nature
of "Contract Contingencies"
but of "Special Charge", and
as such it requires the sanction
of Government.

Fees to Examiners cannot
also be regarded as a "Contract
Contingency" they are remunerations
for a certain work done —
calculated upon the question
papers set and the number
of answer papers valued —
they therefore fluctuate every
year. In the case of Local Service
examinations, fees to Examiners
are sanctioned by Government,
the charge has therefore to be
treated as a Special charge
requiring the sanction of
Government.

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The abstract & contract bills received with the letter under reply are herewith returned unaudited.

/signed/ E. R. Lubroyer

No. 6182
Encl

Asst. Comptroller

Copy forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of Ryasone Revenue & General Departments with reference to his No 2029/251 dated 5th February 1896 with Inspector Generals' No 4572/199 dated 29th January 1896.

E. R. Lubroyer

Comptroller

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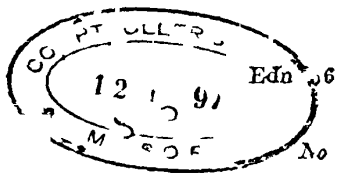

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE

Bangalore 29th January 1897

From

H J BHABHA Esq

Inspector General of Education in Mysore,

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
~~to the Revenue~~ Agent Department
Bangalore

SIR,

With reference to para 2 of order No 8692-3 / 6236 dated the 28th January 1896, I have the honour to inform you that the bill for Rs 684-15-0 which the Comptroller objected to pass, referred to - Contract Contingent Charges incurred in Connection with the Mysore Local Examination of December 1895 - which were held at ten centres in Mysore. The charges were the usual charges for paper ink &c required for Conducting the Examinations

of which the detailed bills have been received and will in due course be forwarded to the Comptroller. The charges are a portion of "contingencies including Examiners' fees" for which Rs 5-200 has been provided in the Village School Fund Budget. These contingent charges cannot possibly be taken as "Countersigned Contingent-Charges" They are plainly "Contract-Contingent-Charges", "for which a lump sum is allotted annually within which the officer may incur expenditure as required without further sanction of any kind" I beg to refer you to Sections 73 and 74 of the Local account-Code Vol I Part I I submit that the objection taken by the Comptroller

to the bill referred to was not
called I request that Govern
ment will be pleased to instruct the Comptroller to accept
hereafter bills for Contingent Charges provided
in the Educational Budgets

I have the honorable
&c
your most obedient servant
Signed A J Bradshaw
Insp General

True copy
A R Tucker's answer to request
for Inspector General

I have the honor to be,
Sir
Your most obedient servant,

Insp Gen of Education

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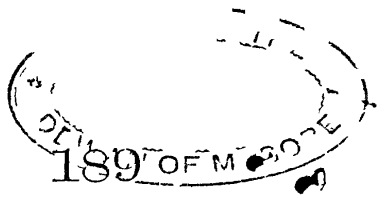

From

The Inspector General of

Education in Mysore

To

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Enclosure No

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE,

No 7931/353 ~~Bangalore~~ Mysore, 6th April 189 7.

Edn 57 & 95

Regn 8382/Edn 336

From

H J BHABHA Esq

Inspector General of Education in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
in the General and Revenue Depts,
Bangalore

SIR,

I have the honour to state that the charges connected with the recent Local Examinations amount to Rs 8463-5-6, which is inclusive of Rs 620 being the amount of expenditure on account of the Teachers' Certificate Examinations held in June 1896 The provision sanctioned for the purpose is Rs 6200 in the current years Village School Fund Budget, and Rs 379 in the State Fund Budget The actual Expenditure thus exceeds the Sanctioned provision by Rs 1874-5-6, and is Rs 1045-6-6 more than the expenses incurred in 1895-96

2 The details of the Expenditure for the current year as compared with

those of last year are as below:—

	1895-96	1896-97
(1) Examiners Fees	6593-0-0	7356-0-0
(2) Examination Contingencies	754-15-0	1037-5-6
(3) Office Contingencies	60-0-0	60-0-0
	7407-15-0	8453-5-6

Thus makes up difference in totals

In 1895-96 a sum of Rs 283 being the amount of remuneration paid to Examiners in connection with the Teachers' Certificate Examination held in June 1895, was erroneously included in the "Contingent charges of the examinations" of 1895-96 as shown in this office letter No $\frac{6188}{270}$ dated 26 March 1896. The actual amount of Examiners' fees in 1895-96 was Rs 6593 and not Rs 6310, and the amount of Contingent charges for the same year was Rs 754-15-0 as shown above

3. The increase of Rs 763 in the amount of fees payable to Examiners is due to the rise in the number of Candidates who appeared for the Teachers' Certificate Test, and the Lower Secondary Examination. For the former Examination 54 Candidates appeared in June 1896 against 21 in June 1895, and for the latter 1929 Candidates appeared in December 1896 against 1674 in December of the previous year, showing an increase of 33 and 255 Candidates respectively for the two Examinations The remuneration of Examiners has accordingly doubled itself in the case of the Teachers' Certificate Examinations, and has increased by Rs 480 in the Case of the Lower Secondary Examination.

4. Of the increase of Rs 282-6-6 in the Contingent Charges of the Examinations, about Rs 54 relate to the Examinations of 1895-96, and the remainder of the excess is due to the larger number of Candidates that attended

the Examinations

5 The increase in expenditure is Counterbalanced by a proportionate increase in the income from fees paid by the Candidates The amount received in the shape of fees during the current year is Rs 74 64 against Rs 64 11 realised in 1895-96 Thus at the same time that the expenditure has increased by Rs 1046, the receipts have increased by Rs 1053

6 Under the above circumstances, I request that Government may be pleased to sanction the additional charge of Rs 1874-5-6 from the Village School Fund at their earliest convenience

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

H J Bhabha
Insp Gen of Education

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From

The Inspector General of
Education in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore in the Rev & Genl Depts
Bangalore

No 1931/353

Dated 1 — 4 — 1897

Received

Enclosure No

Subject

Requesting that a sum of Rs 1874-5-6 in addition to that of Rs 6200 in connection with the recent Local Examinations, may be sanctioned for reasons mentioned in the letter

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE,

No 7932
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Regd 8381
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~~Bangalore~~, Mysore, 6 April 1897
Edn
57 of 95
26 of 1896

From

H J BHABHA Esq, B A No 7

Inspector General of Education in Mysore,

To

The Secretary to the Govt of Mysore
in the General and Revenue Depts
Bangalore

SIR,

I have the honour to state that the enclosed bill of contingent charges of the Local Examinations amounting to Rs 658-1-7 was forwarded to the Comptroller for audit, but has been returned unaudited by that officer He is of opinion that the payments of these charges require the previous sanction of Government These charges have to be met from the amount of Rs 6200 provided in the Village School Fund Budget under the head Local Examinations

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A sum of Rs 379-13-5 has been already drawn and disbursed to the parties concerned. The bill in question is for the balance of Rs 658-1-7 I request that Government may be pleased to sanction the payment of the bill, and authorise the Comptroller to pass similar bills in future without further reference to Government except where the provision in the budget is exceeded The favour of early orders is solicited, as the amount has to be remitted to the Chief Superintendents of the Examinations of last December who provided all the stationery articles required for holding the examinations and have not yet been paid

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H J Brabbs
Inspector General

Ri ad one 317 29 Bangalore 15 April 1897
Rep 1574/97
Rep no 8661
Edn 357

From

The Principal
Central College
Bangalore

Edn 57 of 95
21 of 1896

SERIAL No – 9 – 10

To

The Secretary to Government
General & Revenue Departments

Sir

I have the honour to inform that the bill of charges in connection with the Mysore Lower Secondary Examination held in December last, was sent to the Manager Mysore Local Examinations with this Office docket no 191 dated 17 December 96. The payment has not yet been made and such a long delay never happened before On the 22nd February 1897 the Inspector General of Education was addressed on the subject (Docket no 231) but no reply has yet been received Two remmnders were sent after this to the Manager Mysore Local Examinations

Examinations as to the pay-
-ment of the said contingent
expenses but without effect-
I have the honour to request
that you will kindly place the
matter before Government for
sanction of the expenses incurred
at the Hyderabad Lower Secondary
Examination of December last

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your most obedient Servant

Principal

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Read

Letter No 7731/353 dated 1st April 1897 from the Dept Genl of Education

12231-32

Order No EdF29-96 dt 10-5-97

The Dept Genl of Education reports that the charges on actl on the recent Local Examinations have been assessed at Rs 8453-5-6 inclusive of the same cost (Rs 820) of the Teachers Certificate Examinations held in June 1896, and that the total cost of these Examinations has exceeded by Rs 1874-5-6 the amount sanctioned for the purpose, which consists of a provision of Rs 6200/- in the Village School Fund Budget and of Rs 379 in the Schools Fund Budget. ~~and he reports that the additional expenditure of Rs 1874-5-6 be sanctioned from the Village School Fund~~

The increased cost is reported to be due to the larger number of candidates who appeared for

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the Examinations in question, ~~and~~
~~it is reported that~~
while on the other hand an
additional income of Rs 1046 was
realized
in the shape of fees from candidates.
circumstances ~~the Inspector General~~
~~reports that~~ the increased cost, viz,
Rs 1874-5-6, ~~is~~ is sanctioned as ~~an additional charge upon the~~ from Savings in the
Village School Fund. Village School
Fund Budget
for 1896/97.

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To The Asstt Gen'l of Edn
& Comptroller

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Read

Letter No 7932/354 dated 6th April 1897 from the Inspector General of Education submitting for the sanction of Govt an abstract Contingent bill for Rs 658-4-7 in connection therewith to the charges incurred in connection with the Mysore Local Examinations and requesting that the Comptroller be authorized to pass such bills without previous reference to Govt, when the Budget provision is exceeded

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Endorsement No 6182 dated 1st April 1897 from the Comptroller to the Govt, forwarding copy of a communication No 614 of the same date addressed by him to the Insp. Genl of Education, stating that for reasons given, the Contingent charges of the Mysore Local Examns and for Examiners cannot be treated as "Contract Contingencies" under Sec 73 of the Civil Account Code Vol I), and that the previous

action of Govt is required
therefor

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Feby. —

The bill for $658-1-7
accrued with the proofs of the
letters above cited is sanctioned
and forwarded to the Comptr
for immediate payment

In the general question raised as whether the Genl Govt
Govt agrees with the Comptroller was right in withholding
that the [illegible]
of Govt should be obtained
in the case of the kind
under reference

Jr/y

8/5/97.

To The Ely of Edr
Comptr (with bill)

under this head
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[illegible]
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other schools
asked
will be
prepared
8/5/97

This may open
doors

Please remind me before
with a schedule
draft contract
then further

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in the case
of ordinary Contingencies,

and that the acceptance of
delay in a matter of
that kind is highly
undesirable.

Very Urgent 27

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OFFICE OF INSPECTOR GENERAL OF EDUCATION IN MYSORE,

No 8890/405 Bangalore Mysore, 10th May 1897.

Regd No 10264/Edn 385

Educn 57 of 1895

No —

From

H J BHABHA Esq

Inspector General of Education in Mysore,

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore
in the General and Revenue Depts,
Bangalore

SIR,

In continuation of my letter No 7932/354 dated 5th April 1897 and Reminder No 8476/380 dated 27th April 1897, I have the honour to enclose herewith a DO letter dated 10th May 1897 from the Head Master, Channapatna High School, Register No 12796 of this Office, complaining that the stationery purchased for the Local Examinations of December last has not yet been paid for, and that the merchant who supplied the Stationery now demands interest on the amount of his bill. A similar complaint has also been received from the Head Master of Chitaldroog High School. This is the

first time since 1890 that the stationery purchased for the Local Examinations has not been paid for for a period of six months Hitherto the amount provided under the sub-head of "Contingencies and Examiners' Fees" falling under the principal head V of Local Examinations in the Village School Fund Budget, has been treated as Contract Contingent charges under section 74 chapter 6 of the Civil Account Code Volume I Part I The Comptroller, however, is for the first time of opinion this year that it does not come under that head. With due deference to the authority of the Comptroller, I am of opinion that the charges incurred under 'Contingencies and Examiners' fees' are Contract Contingent charges, and the bills countersigned by me for these charges should have been audited and made payable without difficulty To prevent similar delays in future I request Government will be

good enough to rule definitely once for all that such charges are contract contingent charges I request that Government will be pleased to pass orders on the subject at their earliest convenience

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your most obedient servant

H J Bhabha

Insp Gen of Education

For E.
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OFFICE OF THE
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From

The Inspector General of

Education in Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Govt
of Mysore in the Rev & Agl
depts

No 8490/4405

Dated

Received 10—5—97

Enclosure No

Subject

Stating that the Stationery
purchased for the Local
Examination of December
last has not yet been
had and the General
Headmasters through
whose supervision the
Examination was
conducted have been
constantly demanding
for the amount, & re-
questing that in order to
avoid delay in future
it may be ruled once for
all what such charges as
Contract Contingent Charges

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To

The Principal Central
College Bangalore

No 1235-37
Ed F 29-96

Ed Sr. 57 of 95 Date 14-5-97
~~21 of 1894~~
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With reference to his letter
No 317 dated 15th April 1897,
has the honor to state that the
bill of contingent charges
incurred in connection with the
Allepore Local Examinations of
1896 and received from the Insp
Gl. of Edn. in Allepore, was Sanctioned
in Govt. Pro No 12229-30 Dated 14/5/97
Ed F 29-96
and forwarded to the Comptroller
for Audit

2 drafts

B a
11/5/97
For Secretary

X Refer to
Sl no 10

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Read -

Correspondence ending with letter no 8890/405 dt 10th May 1897 from the Insp. Genl of Forests in Mysore on the subject of passing the bills for the Contingent charges of the Mysore Local Examinations and fees to Examiners

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Order thereon No 12731-2 Ed F 29-96

Date 27-5-97

The attention of the Insp. Genl was requested to Govt Pro No 12289-30 dt 10-5-97 Ed 29-96 the bill for Rs 658-1-7 received with his letter no 7932/354 dt 6-4-97 the same sanctioned and forwarded to the Comptroller for audit & payment

2 With regard to the general question raised by the D.G. Govt are of opinion that the Comptroller was right in insisting upon the previous sanction of Govt to pass such bills on the ground of the absence of an annual lump sum allotment - that these charges fluctuate every year and are therefore not of the nature of fixed contract contingencies - when within which the Insp. Genl could incur expenditure as required without further sanction of any kind

however that the expenditure in question is incurred only once a year and not throughout the year as in the case of ordinary contingencies, that the maximum annual requirement can be easily estimated with some approximation to accuracy and that the avoidance of delay in a matter of this kind is highly desirable, Govt are pleased to direct that the annual allotment provided in the Budget under the Head "V Local Examinations" item "Contingencies and Examiners fees", be hereafter regarded as Contract Contingent Charges, in respect of which, the previous sanction of Govt need not be obtained. The Examiners' fees should not however be disbursed without the previous sanction of Govt and as the charges vary according to the requirements of each year, they should require the sanction of Govt. The delay in the disbursement of the future charges will be avoided if a Bill be submitted by the Head for the sanction of Govt as soon as the Examns are over as is done by the Head of the Bd of Exam for the local Service & Pleaders Examns

expenditure within the limits of

17-5-97

Secretary

15/5/97

To The Supdt of Govt Press
Ellapore returning the enclosures his letter dated above
Comptroller to the Government of Ellapore

This draft is re-submitted for approval as directed by the Hon'ble (Vide Secret No 27)
15/5/97

Submitted to Hon'ble
17-5-97